

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5 A device (10) for use in connection with a fabric (F) in a former or a press section of a paper machine comprises sub-assemblies which accomplish at least two of the following functions: guiding, spreading and/or cleaning of the fabric (F). The device (10) has an automatic guide (20) and a guide roll (40) for guiding the fabric (F), a curved spreader roll (30) for spreading the fabric (F), and a suction unit 19 for cleaning the fabric (F).